

## PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. A. D. Patten is in Frankfort this week.

Mr. H. O. Smith, Greensburg, was in Columbia Sunday.

Judge James Garnett attended the Taylor circuit court last week.

Mr. T. R. Stults, County Court Clerk, was in Frankfort last week.

Mr. Jo Woodridge, Jamestown, was here last Sunday.

Mr. John Q. Alexander, C-ville, was in Columbia yesterday.

Mr. Tim Collins has been quite sick for several days.

Mrs. Lou B. Taylor, who was quite sick last week, is much better.

Misses Jennie Garnett and Lillian Holladay have returned to Georgetown.

Mr. Herbert McLean was in Hustonville and Danville a few days last week.

Mr. Cochran, the well-known marble cutter of Lebanon, is in Adair this week.

Mr. J. W. Coffey and family, Campbellsburg, were visiting in Columbia last Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Corinne Jones, of Jamestown, arrived in Columbia Friday and Monday morning entered the M. & F. High School.

Miss Ethel Patterson, Jamestown, after a pleasant visit to relatives and friends in Columbia and vicinity, returned home last Sunday.

Mr. J. P. Vanhoy, who is attending school at Wilmore, Ky., was at home to spend the holidays with his parents and friends. Mr. Vanhoy is delighted with the school and left for Wilmore last Thursday. "Parks" as we used to call him, is a gentleman in every sense of the word, and his natural endowments, coupled with his determination will some day fit him for doing great good, which is the object of his life.

## LOCAL JOTTINGS.

The supervisors have completed their work.

Don't fail to see our 20 cent corsets. RUSSELL & MURRELL.

Communion service at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning.

W. O. Pile bought from J. D. Lowe, a fine Berkshire boar pig, for which he paid \$5.00.

I am this week preparing my annual clearance sale. Look out for bargains. 2w. W. L. WALKER.

Eld. G. W. Dunford, of Hodgenville, will preach at the Christian church in Columbia, on Wednesday night, Jan. 10, 1900.

See our 20c corset, good as any 50c. corset, all sizes, from 18 to 30, colors, white and drab. RUSSELL & MURRELL.

Circuit court next Monday. The docket is light, and the business of the term will probably be finished in eight days.

We kindly ask you to come in and settle that note or account you owe us, we need the money. RUSSELL & MURRELL.

Mr. J. R. White, of Camp Knott, a staunch friend of the News, called Thursday and left the pay for his paper.

All my notes and accounts are now due. If you do not like to receive a statement by mail, please call and settle, as I must collect all debts at once. 4w. W. L. WALKER.

Master John A. Harris did some excellent work in our tabulating department last week. He was not particularly stuck on the job, it having a tendency to weaken his back.

Mr. John Rowe, who lived near Fairplay, died last Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. He was afflicted with typhoid fever and was sick but a few days. He leaves a wife and several children.

Mr. L. V. Hall, the tinner, who recently located in Columbia, advertises his business in to-day's News. He is a splendid mechanic and should receive the patronage of the people of Adair county.

The store recently opened in the east corner of the square by Sinclair & Bell was closed by order of attachments last Monday. Mr. Bell had withdrawn from the firm before the crash came.

We have secured the agency for the famous "Queen Quality" fine shoes for ladies—they will have a large stock in this week—they are regarded the finest shoes in the world for the price. Any style \$3.00 per pair. Russell & Murrell.

The dwelling house owned and resided in by Mr. Wm. Dulworth, Coburg, was consumed by fire last Friday night. We failed to learn the origin of the fire and the amount of the loss sustained by Mr. Dulworth.

Any thing you may need in my line, come and see my goods and get my prices. I am always at bottom on everything. I will offer a lot of bargains during the month of January. They can not last long. 2w. W. L. WALKER.

Born, to the wife of Alvin A. Strange, January 6, a still-born male child.

All persons having an account with me can settle with me easier than with the Sheriff. John Eubank. 2t

Next Monday will be the first day of the Adair circuit court. A large crowd will be in town, and it is expected that business will be lively.

Mr. J. L. McLean has been awarded a contract for the erection of an addition to the residence of Mr. Gerge W. Robertson, on C-ville avenue, near the bridge.

For sale, my farm, situated on the Somerset road, four miles from Columbia, consisting of 80 acres; 20 acres in timber, 60 in cultivation. Good barn, orchard, choice garden, good water, etc. Price \$600. J. H. Holladay.

Dr. Henry Barfield, of color, who shot and killed Robert Buckner at Campbellsburg a few weeks ago, was tried last week and given six years in the penitentiary.

Mr. Ed Hughes purchased of Mrs. W. L. Walker, last week, the residence on Burksville street, opposite the Methodist church. We understand the consideration was \$1,100. Mr. Hughes' mother will remove to Columbia.

Having sold my farm, I now desire to sell "Adair Boy," my stallion, and "Jim Gore," my jack, also five brood mares, four of which are with foal and five young horses and mules, three milch cows, 30 head of sheep and 17 hogs. C. M. Breeding.

Mr. J. C. Durham, a stock dealer and well-known to many of the citizens of Adair county, died at his home near Campbellsburg, one day last week. He was an excellent gentleman and will be greatly missed from the busy walks of life.

## Attention.

My accounts are due and I want a settlement by cash. If you have not the money I want a note, as I want to square my books and must do it. Mrs. Sallie Bradshaw.

Mr. Winston A. Strange, who died at Glenville last Saturday night, carried a \$5,000 life policy in the Connecticut Mutual which will be paid by J. E. Murrell as soon as proof of death reaches the company.

Mr. R. G. Holt, formerly a citizen of Russell county, but now located at Nicholasville, called upon the News last Thursday. Mr. Holt was returning home, having spent a few days with his mother, who resides near Est. He takes the News in order to keep up with Russell county events.

Gov. J. R. Hindman informs us that he received a letter from Dr. Shepherd a few days ago in regard to the proposed electric railway line between Columbia and Campbellsburg. Dr. Shepherd is very much in earnest about the project, and will be in our midst soon to again lay the matter before our people.

Judge R. S. Montague, who was one of the best citizens of Taylor county, and a lawyer of wide reputation, died at his home in Campbellsburg Monday, Jan. 2, 1900. He was about 72 years old, and was one of the leading spirits in the Baptist church. He was a father-in-law of Mr. H. E. Baker, who was born and reared in Columbia.

We have noticed very few men in Columbia under the influence of liquor since the new year started. It is to be hoped that all who have started right will remember the fate of Lot's wife and keep right on in the path which leads to prosperity. A sober, industrious man can always find employment. Do you ever see a drunkard holding a responsible position.

We would take great pleasure in publishing a letter each week from Glenville, Cane Valley and Montpelier and from any other points that are not represented. It does look like some one should send in the local happenings of their respective towns. We furnish stamps and stationery.

The firm of Page & Powell dissolved the first day of January by mutual consent. Dr. Page will continue the drug business at the same stand. All parties indebted to the old firm are requested to call and settle. Also all persons indebted to J. N. Page are politely requested to fork over what they owe him. 3t.

Monday night, the 2d inst., at the residence of Mr. J. A. Parson, near the mill, a social was given to the young people, quite a number of whom were present. During the evening some excellent music was rendered on the guitar and violin, and several games were indulged in that were very amusing. The occasion was a very enjoyable one to all present.

## Rich, Red Blood.

Morley's Sarsaparilla and Iron not only purifies your blood but makes new rich, red blood. If you have skin eruptions, boils, abscesses, rheumatism, or scurvy, or if you have a run-down, tired-out feeling, try this remedy and note the prompt results. \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by W. M. Bell, Joppa, Ky.

If you are indebted to the News office and will be in Columbia next Monday, "drop up" and settle.

A statement, showing the healthy condition of the Bank of Columbia, is published in to-day's News. There is not a more prosperous banking institution in the State, everything considered, nor one under better management.

Last Monday County Judge J. W. Butler appointed the following gentlemen as a municipal board for the town of Columbia for the ensuing year: A. G. Todd, John N. Conover, Scott Montgomery, S. D. Barbes and M. Cravens. The board qualified and elected M. Cravens clerk.

From this date until closed out, we will offer reduced prices on all winter goods—We have good lines of bed blankets, comforts, ladies' cloaks, men and children's heavy boots and shoes, over coats, heavy under wear &c. If you need such goods to finish up the winter, it will pay you to see our stock. RUSSELL & MURRELL.

We have in this office a book-case just made by Mr. Jo F. Patten, who is a skilled mechanic. It is hardwood with glass doors, an elegant piece of furniture. We commend Mr. Patten to those who are in need of "good work, true work and square work, just such work as will entitle a man to wages."

Eld. Lawrence Williams, who recently tendered his resignation as pastor of the Christian church, Glasgow, will likely be called to preach here. He is an able young man, and enjoys the confidence of the people of Adair county where he was born and reared, a very high compliment. Those who know him best know his worth.

The week of prayer closed last Sunday night with a sermon at the Methodist church by Rev. J. L. Kilgore. During the week the meetings alternated from church to church, laymen conducting the services. The meetings were well attended and many interesting topics discussed. The next union prayer meeting will begin the first week in the twentieth century.

Mr. S. M. Wolford purchased of Mr. J. H. Judd, last week, the residence on Water street, now occupied by Mr. W. B. Cave, for \$350. Mr. Wolford will occupy rooms in Mr. W. H. Wilson's dwelling until he can get possession of his property. Mr. J. W. Jackson has removed to the residence on Greensburg street vacated by Mr. Wolford, and Mr. Geo. Coffey is settled in the dwelling he purchased of Mr. Jackson.

Dr. L. C. Nell, of Gradyville, was in Columbia last Wednesday and in conversation with a News man, said: "There is absolutely no danger whatever in our section from small-pox. The disease has entirely disappeared from our section. The closest case being at least 15 miles west of us. Besides, the nearest case to Gradyville was not in 4 miles of the town. I trust that the people of the country will have no fears of contracting the small-pox in our section."

Mr. Thos. Cravens, a former citizen of Columbia, and well-known throughout Adair county, is now a worker in His Master's vineyard. Some weeks ago he publicly confessed his Savior, joined the Methodist church and is walking in the straight and narrow path which leads to eternal life. We are glad to make this announcement, as it is an evidence that intelligence sees and knows by research that there is something better for the faithful after leaving this "low land of sorrow."

Mr. G. P. Dillon has been employed to teach the school at Gradyville, this winter and we are informed that he began last week with more than fifty pupils in attendance, regardless of the very disagreeable weather. Mr. Dillon is well-known as an instructor, by the Gradyville people, as he has spent much time in the schoolroom in that flourishing city. His reputation as a teacher is strictly first-class and his many many traits and social qualities make him many warm friends.

All the grown persons who assisted Mrs. Hurt and Mrs. Rosenfield in their entertainment were given a reception at the latter's home last Thursday evening. It was a delightful affair, a magnificent supper being spread. This office was kindly remembered, a well filled basket of choice refreshments being sent in. It was certainly appreciated and enjoyed, and the ladies will please accept our thanks. In a short time the little folks who took part in the entertainment will be given a reception at the home of Mrs. Hurt.

An editor prints his paper to give his patrons the news of the day and for the money there is in it. He is presumed to know of what he writes, and he generally does. When he writes as he does in the Leader Courier, Ocoola Mills, Pa., without fee or hope of reward, that "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy acts magically, and we have found none better in our household. If you have a cough, try it," it may be accepted as an honest expression, worthy of credence. For sale by M. Cravens, Columbia, Ky.



Dr. John Wise, optician, late of San Francisco, California, now Campbellsburg, Ky., will be at the Hancock Hotel, Columbia, Ky. for one week. Those needing glasses properly fitted to their eyes should give him a call. He uses the new methods in science of detecting errors of refraction and correction of same in fitting glasses, without the use of a mydriatic or putting any kind of medicine in the eyes. Headache or neuralgia caused by eye strain immediately relieved. Those wishing to favor him with their patronage should call early, as in many cases he has to make a prescription and have the lenses especially ground. He is endorsed by the medical profession and can give good references with long experience in practice. Prices reasonable.

## Death of An Old Citizen.

Last Saturday night Mr. Winston A. Strange, an old and highly respected citizen of Adair County, died at his late residence in Glenville. He was about 75 years old, and ranked as one of the best men in this section of the State. For many years he was an active business man, and in all his dealings honesty was his guide. At one time he was in good circumstances, and was remarkably kind to his neighbors who were less fortunate. He has gone, but it will be years before the Glenville people will forget his many kind deeds. The deceased leaves a wife, several children and a large number of relatives. He was an uncle of Mr. J. K. A. Strange, this city. One son and a number of grandchildren reside in Texas. The funeral took place Sunday afternoon, the Masonic Fraternity conducting the services. The News extends sympathy to the sorrowing relatives.

We neglected to publish our paid list last week and the following cash subscribers have come in during the last two weeks—Wm. Butler, J. D. Todd, Jo. Franklin, G. P. Dillon, J. P. Vanhoy, S. C. Hood, J. T. Patterson, R. G. Hall, J. B. White, G. E. Walker, J. C. Montgomery, A. K. Stone, C. H. Yates, H. A. Murrell, A. Bradshaw, Thos. Antle, J. W. Kinnard, B. L. Conover, Ben F. Thomas, Jesse Breeding, J. L. Blair, C. W. Bryant, E. W. Barnett, Geo. C. Montgomery, Eugene Wellington, Fannie Willis, John J. Banks, J. A. Turner, L. G. Montgomery, L. K. Lowhorn, Jas. Nelson, Jr., R. T. McCaffree, W. H. Gill, F. W. Rice, C. M. Hindman, Jas. Smith, H. J. Henson, J. H. Halladay, G. W. Robertson, Z. M. Staples, S. A. Strange, J. A. Strange, J. R. Holladay, Simeon Murrell, W. A. Garnett, T. A. Murrell, Jo Hill, John Young, J. N. Page, G. W. Coffey, Thos. Dowell, J. A. Diddle, W. O. Pile, G. M. Stevenson, Dave Miller, Jo F. Patten.

Mr. Frank Cochran, of the firm of Cochran & Dais, Lebanon, told us yesterday that he had a friend in his city who came to his office each week to read The News, stating that he wanted to see who had gone to heaven from Adair county since the former issue. Well, we wish to inform the said friend of Cochran's that Adair county is one of the best places of earth to live; that no one in all this country intends to go to hades, and when we write an obituary the evidence in the death warrant is in stating that the deceased had gone to a land of rest. We invite the "friend" to come to Adair to live and join the great host who are going to a home above. We have no apologies to offer for the up-right and noble lives of our people.

The Columbia M. & F. High School is enjoying greater prosperity than it has had for many years. Prof. Tyler Baker is the right man in the right place, and it is fortunate that this old institution is under his management. He has the art of winning the respect of his pupils and of keeping them under control, and of developing their latent and better qualities at the same time. He requests us to say that the number in attendance was inadvertently mis-stated in a recent issue. He has something over seventy, and each week there are new enrollments.

Mrs. John M. Cabell, of Louisville, died last Wednesday morning. The deceased was a sister of Mrs. Nannie B. Reed, formerly of this place, and she was also a relative of Mrs. James Garnett, Sr., this city. Mrs. Cabell was an active religious worker, a member of the second Presbyterian church and will be greatly missed. Before marriage she was Miss Bird Ray, of Lebanon.

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New Moon, 1-30th.

First Quarter, 8th.

Full Moon, 15th.

Last Quarter, 23d.

## MASONIC ELECTIONS.

The following lodges sent in reports since our last issue:

### Neatsville Lodge, No. 705.

J. M. Campbell, W. M.  
W. P. Dunbar, S. W.  
C. W. Campbell, J. W.  
I. C. Harmon, Secretary.  
B. F. Tupper, Treasurer.  
J. M. Perryman, S. D.  
J. B. Jones, J. D.  
W. H. Sinclair, S. & T.

### Gradyville Lodge.

P. C. McCaffree, W. M.  
W. M. Wilmore, S. W.  
G. P. Dillon, J. W.  
P. Nelson, Secretary.  
H. C. Walker, Treasurer.  
Tom Flowers, S. D.  
Wm. Sharp, J. D.  
G. W. Dudley, S. & T.

### Tampico Lodge.

John J. Biggs, W. M.  
John W. Faulkner, S. W.  
J. W. Russell, J. W.  
B. F. Chewing, Secretary.  
B. Massie, Treasurer.  
T. R. Smith, S. D.  
R. P. Bridgewater, J. D.  
Taylor Sullivan, S. & T.

Geo. Tol. Smith, of this county was a witness in the Federal Court at Frankfort last week. After he had been discharged and received his pay, he purchased a couple of quarts of mean liquor, returned to the basement of the custom-house and was peddling it out at 5 and 10 cents a swallow, according to the size of the swallow. He was caught, brought before court, indicted, tried and given three months and \$100. Within forty minutes from the time of his arrest he was convicted, the quickest proceedings now on the record.

Nashville has enjoyed a "big" shoe trade this season. We take the following from the Daily Banner, published in that city: "Had anyone doubted the importance of Nashville as a shoe distributing point, they need only have been on the Public Square this morning and seen the piles and piles of cases of shoes being carted to the railway stations for shipment throughout the Southern territory. The pavement in front of every shoe house was lined with great piles of cases. Manier, Dunbar & Co., sent out to-day, 6,153 cases to the trade in Alabama, Mississippi, Kentucky, Georgia and Texas."

## Who Preaches Next Sunday.

—Rev. E. W. Barnett will preach at Zion in the morning, Cane Valley in the evening.

—Rev. J. L. Kilgore will preach at Carmel.

—Rev. Hulse will preach at Gradyville.

—Rev. T. F. Walton will preach at the Presbyterian church this city.

## MILLTOWN.

We have had some very cold weather for the last week.

Misses Hettie Tutt and Hettie Squires are attending the Lillian Female Academy at Canmer.

Messrs. Albert Mercer, James Rodgers and Chapman Dohoney will attend school at Greensburg.

Messrs. Robt. Hatcher and family, Bowles Finn and family and Coleman Finn and family have vacated our town and moved to the Vance farm near Columbia.

Mr. E. B. Cheatham and wife are visiting the family of J. R. Tutt.

Mrs. J. R. Tutt has been on the sick list for the last few days.

Clem Beard left for Boston Monday.

Miss Etta McCaffree is visiting relatives in this community.

Several young people from this place attended the social at Mr. Charles Cabell's in Green county Thursday night. They report an enjoyable time.

Mr. Willie Hovious, Knifley, returned home Monday after a few days visit to relatives in this community.

Brother Nichols will preach at Pulaski's Chapel on the second Sunday at 3 o'clock.

J. G. Thomas and our scribe spent the greater part of the holidays visiting relatives at Knifley.

## Paid Dear For His Leg.

H. D. Blanton, of Thackerville, Tex. in two years paid over \$300.00 to doctors to cure a running sore on his leg. Then they wanted to cut it off, but he cured it with one box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Guaranteed cure for Piles. 25 cts. a box. Sold by T. E. Paul, drugist.

## GRADYVILLE.

Mr. Strong Hill and family returned from Jamestown last week where they spent the holidays.

Dr. S. A. Taylor spent several days of last week by the bedside of his sick brother at Knob Lick.

The recent cold spell brought us plenty of ice last week and we got four houses filled in our town.

Sam Lewis, Glasgow, spent one night with us last week looking after produce.

Mrs. W. A. Wilmore and son were visiting relatives at Montpelier last week.

Prof. G. P. Dillon opened school last week with a large attendance and prospects are flattering for a good school. Miss Lena Grissom has charge of the music department and will open with a good class.

Dr. W. L. Turk and wife, Alabama, are visiting their sister Mrs. H. C. Walker, this city.

Messrs. F. P. Dohoney and wife; S. D. Caldwell and wife and W. A. Hindman and wife, of Milltown, were calling on their relatives in our town last week.

Hindman Bros., are buying up a nice bunch of young cattle and are paying a fancy price.

Mr. J. A. Coffey and family bid us a long farewell last week and started for Texas and Iowa for a visit of a year or more.

Our old friend D. Schooling, of New Market, has been with us for a week or more writing insurance. He is the right man in the right place.

Mr. Jo Hunter, one of our best citizens, has been confined to his room for several weeks with a severe cold.

Mr. L. S. Smith, of Louisville, was with us one day last week looking after cattle.

Mr. Henry Henson, Green River, was in our community last week buying hogs at a good price.

Mr. J. A. Diddle bought of Zates & Robertson a few days ago one of the best farms in this part of the country. It is known as the L. B. Robertson farm and the price paid was \$3,000.

H. A. Walker & Co., who shipped a car load of stock from Smith's Grove to the Southern market writes that prospects are good for a lively trade this winter.

Smith & Nell informed us that during the past year their firm bought and sold 410 head of cattle; 1750 head of sheep; 25 head of mules and one goat, they paid for same \$14,740. The principal amount of this stock was bought and sold in this county.

Miss Lee Baker will be united in marriage next Wednesday to Mr. Clem Keltner. Rev. T. L. Hulse will officiate. Miss Baker is a very popular young lady of our town and will be greatly missed in the society circle. Mr. Keltner is equally as popular in the Cool Spring community. Their many friends wish them much success.

Messrs. W. L. Grady and Logan Shirrell one day in Christmas killed 26 rabbits and they say there plenty left.

J. A. Diddle bought a few weeks ago two as good yearling mules as there was in the county. One from C. M. Hindman the other from P. Kinnard paying each \$75.

Mr. Sale Coffey, who is attending school at Lexington, spent the holidays at home. Mr. Coffey informed us that he was getting along first-class with his studies.

Some of the young men in an adjacent community surely got on the outside of too much moonshine, judging from the way the door knobs of a certain church were shot off. We think the matter should be investigated and the young gents waited on by the next grand jury.

An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Jo Yates has been dangerously ill for a day or so.

Mr. Jo Shirrell is in a very low state of health at this time.

Born, to the wife of Jacob Nelson on the 6th, a son, another Republican in the Keltner precinct.

Christmas day, Mrs. Ella Robertson was the recipient of some handsome and beautiful gifts the donors being Misses Annie Kate and Bessie Walker, Glara Wilmore, Mollie Flowers, Mollie and Rosa Hunter. Mrs. Robertson returns many, many thanks to those young ladies who are bright members of her Sunday school class for their loving remembrance of her as their teacher and friend.

Mr. John Long, who lived at Rowena, died yesterday morning.

## Just Saved His Life.

It was a thrilling escape that Chas. Davis, of Bowerton, O., lately had from a frightful death. For two years a severe lung trouble constantly grew worse until it seemed he must die of Consumption. Then he began to use Dr. King's New Discovery and lately wrote: "It gave instant relief and effected a permanent cure." Such wonderful cures have for 25 years, proven it's power to cure all Throat, Chest and Lung troubles. Price 50c and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed. Trial bottles free at T. E. Paul's drug store.

## ABSHER.

Miss Bettie Humphress, who has been visiting her sister at Tarter returned home Monday.

Mrs. Fannie Judd, Campbellsburg, is visiting relatives here.

Miss Ura Robertson, Knifley spent last week with her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Ellis, of St. Mary's are visiting their old home and friends in Adair.

Mr. Henry Absher and his brother-in-law, Mr. Jones, of Union county, spent a few days last week with his grand-mother, who is very feeble.

## FONT HILL